GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
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Restructuring of Railway Board
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken any steps for the restructuring of railway board;

(b) if so, the experimental works carried out by the Government to make railway board more effective;

(c) whether railway board is likely to be privatized completely; and

(d) if so, the outline of the changes likely to be made in railway board?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) & (b): Re-organisation of Railway Board along business lines was indicated by the Minister for Railways in the Budget Speech, 2016-17. Steps taken in this regard include reallocation of work among Board Members, creation of three posts of Directors General and setting up of cross functional directorates for non-fare revenue and mobility enhancement.

(c): There is no such proposal at present.

(d): Does not arise.
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